



New South Wales

Health Practitioner Regulation (Adoption of National Law) Amendment Regulation 2023

under the

Health Practitioner Regulation (Adoption of National Law) Act 2009

Her Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, has made the following Regulation under the *Health Practitioner Regulation (Adoption of National Law) Act 2009*.

BRAD HAZZARD, MP
Minister for Health

Explanatory note

The object of this Regulation is to modify an amendment to the Health Practitioner Regulation National Law made by the *Health Practitioner Regulation National Law and Other Legislation Amendment Act 2022* of Queensland in relation to the guiding principles of the national registration and accreditation scheme for the purpose of applying the amendment as an amendment to the *Health Practitioner Regulation National Law (NSW)*.

This Regulation is made under a Henry VIII provision that enables the making of regulations to amend the *Health Practitioner Regulation (Adoption of National Law) Act 2009*, Schedule 1.

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1 Name of Regulation

This Regulation is the *Health Practitioner Regulation (Adoption of National Law) Amendment Regulation 2023*.

2 Commencement

This Regulation commences on the date of assent to the *Health Practitioner Regulation National Law and Other Legislation Amendment Act 2022* of Queensland.

Schedule 1 Amendment of Health Practitioner Regulation (Adoption of National Law) Regulation 2022

- [1] **Section 4 Application of amendments—the Act, s 4**
Insert after section 4(a)(i)—
(ia) Part 3, section 36,
- [2] **Section 4(a)(ii)**
Omit “Parts 3–6”. Insert instead “Parts 4–6”.
- [3] **Section 5 Application of modified amendments—the Act, s 4**
Insert after section 5(1)(a)—
(a1) Chapter 3, Part 3, section 37,
- [4] **Section 5(2)**
Insert “and Part 3, section 37” after “section 34”.
- [5] **Schedule 1 Amendment of Health Practitioner Regulation (Adoption of National Law) Act 2009 No 86**
Omit “Schedule 1[2] modifies the amendment” from the note.
Insert instead “Schedule 1[2] modifies the amendments”.
- [6] **Schedule 1, note**
Insert “and Part 3, section 37” after “section 34”.
- [7] **Schedule 1[2], section 3A, heading**
Insert “[NSW]” after “principles”.
- [8] **Schedule 1[2], section 3A(2)(a1)**
Insert after section 3A(2)(a)—
(a1) the scheme is to ensure the development of a culturally safe and respectful health workforce that—
(i) is responsive to Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples and their health; and
(ii) contributes to the elimination of racism in the provision of health services;
Example— Codes and guidelines developed and approved by National Boards under section 39 may provide guidance to health practitioners about the provision of culturally safe and respectful health care.